# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5911 TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.04.2017

### Promotion of Hindi in Non-Hindi Speaking States

## 5911. SHRI BAITE THANGSO:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Central Government has any special plan for the promotion of Hindi Language in the Non-Hindi speaking States with special reference to the North Eastern States;
- (b) if so, the steps taken by the Government and its progress and achievements;
- (c) if not, the reason thereof with detailed justification; and
- (d) whether the Government is aware of the existence of any Philanthropic Organisations or Institutions dedicated for the cause of promotion of Hindi Language to the Non-Hindi speaking belt and if so, the details thereof?

### ANSWER

# MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)

(a) to (d) Yes Madam. With special reference to North Eastern States, the Centres of Kendriya Hindi Sansthan, (KHS) Agra, an Autonomous Body under Ministry of HRD regularly conducts Orientation Courses to train the Hindi Teachers of North-Eastern Region. In addition to this, the centres conduct two regular courses- Hindi Shikshan Praveen & Intensive Hindi Teaching Training Course for the students of Mizoram & Nagaland states. Every year students take admission in Hindi Shikshan Nishnat (Equivalent to M.Ed.), Hindi Shikshan Parangat (Equivalent to B.Ed), Hindi Shikshan Praveen (Equivalent to D.El.Ed.) conducted by KHS at Agra. Apart from this, Government Hindi Teachers Training Colleges at Mizoram, Assam, and Nagaland are affiliated to Kendriya Hindi Sansthan, Agra. KHS publishes Samanvaya Purvottar Quarterly Magazine in North-East. For translating the

Regional languages of North Eastern Region into Hindi, Dictionaries are also being prepared by Kendriya Hindi Sansthan and Central Hindi Directorate, (CHD), Delhi a sub-ordinate office under Ministry of HRD. CHD also conducts coaching classes for Civil Services Hindi Course and other Certificate, Diploma and Advance Diploma Courses which aim at imparting knowledge of various aspects of Hindi language, literature and culture to students. Non-Hindi speaking Neo Hindi Writer camp is organized with a view to acquaint the neo- Hindi writers of non-Hindi regions with its various disciplines every year. Making of DVDs and its telecast on Gyan Darshan is being carried out for Hindi teaching and promotion. Free gifts of Hindi books and magazines are also distributed in non-Hindi areas. Detailed information as to the activities of Hindi Promotion in Non-Hindi areas is available on the websites of KHS, Agra (khsindia.org) and CHD, Delhi (hindinideshalaya.nic.in). A list of Voluntary organizations working in promotion of Hindi including those working in Non-Hindi Speaking areas is available on the website of CHD.

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